

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

JARAMIE L. SMITH,

Plaintiff,

v.

TRACY GAY et al., ,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:23-cv-06136-DGE

ORDER GRANTING
APPLICATION TO PROCEED *IN*
FORMA PAUPERIS

Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (Dkt. 1) is GRANTED. Plaintiff does not appear to have funds available to afford the \$405.00 Court filing fee. The Court notes that the dog, identified as "Bear," cannot be a defendant because a dog is not a proper party.

Dated this 10th day of January, 2024.



Theresa L. Fricke
United States Magistrate Judge